


NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Chapter 91, HRS, notice is hereby given that the Commission on Water Resource Management will hold public hearings on proposed amendments to Title 13, Section 13-167-10(b), HAR, Rules of Practice and Procedure for the Commission on Water Resource Management; Section 13-168-3(a), HAR, Water Use, Wells, and Stream Diversion Works; and Section 13-169-3(a), HAR, Protection of Instream Uses of Water. These proposed amendments will increase the maximum fine amount from \$1,000 to \$5,000 to be in conformance with HRS §174C-15(b). The public hearing will also be held for the proposed amendment to Title 13, Section 13-168-12(a), HAR, Water Use, Wells, and Stream Diversion Works. This proposed amendment will increase the filing fee for well construction and pump installation permits from \$25 to \$300. The hearings will be held as follows:

October 30, 2017 (Monday), 6:00 p.m. Velma McWayne Santos Community Center 395 Waena Place Wailuku, Maui, Hawaii 96793	November 6, 2017 (Monday), 6:00 p.m. Kalanimoku Building, Board Room 132 1151 Punchbowl Street Honolulu, Hawaii 96813
November 8, 2017 (Wednesday), 6:00 p.m. West Hawaii Civic Center Building A, Conference Room A 74-5044 Ane Keohokalole Highway Kailua-Kona, Hawaii 96740	November 9, 2017 (Thursday), 6:00 p.m. Aupuni Center 101 Pauahi Street, Suite 1 Hilo, Hawaii 96720
November 17, 2017 (Friday) 6:00 p.m. Lihue Civic Center, Rooms 2A & 2B 4444 Rice Street Lihue, Kauai, Hawaii 96766	

All interested parties are invited to attend and to present their views, either orally or in writing. Written statements may be submitted at the public hearings or to the Commission on Water Resource Management at 1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 227, Honolulu, HI 96813, up to one week following the hearing date. The proposed rule amendments can be reviewed online at <http://ltgov.hawaii.gov/the-office/administrative-rules/> or can be reviewed in person at the Commission on Water Resource Management office at the above address from 7:45 am to 4:30 pm, Monday through Friday, except holidays. If unable to review online or in person, a copy can be mailed after payment of the required fees for postage and paper (per 91-2.5 HRS) upon verbal or written request to the Commission on Water Resource Management at the above address, or by phone: 587-0214. The hearing locations are disability accessible. If special needs are required, i.e., large print, taped materials, sign language interpreter, etc., please call 587-0214 at least one week prior to the designated date and time of the public hearings.

COMMISSION ON WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT



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